

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 637

By Pody

A RESOLUTION to recognize Steve Coble, Smith County Road Superintendent, on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this General Assembly should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of public service; and

WHEREAS, Steve Coble is one such estimable person who, having served with distinction since 2011 as the Road Superintendent for Smith County, took his retirement on April 19, 2021; and

WHEREAS, Steve Coble is the son of Ralph E. Coble and Hazel Coble and was raised in the Brush Creek community of Smith County; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Coble's father, Ralph Coble, served as Smith County Road Superintendent until his death in 2011, at which time Steve Coble was named his successor; and

WHEREAS, dedicated to the highway system of Smith County, Steve Coble was elected to the office of Road Superintendent for Smith County in 2012, and subsequently won re-election in 2016 and 2020, having earned the confidence of his fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, a devoted husband, father, and grandfather, Mr. Coble enjoys the love and support of his wife, Vona Coble; his two children, Brett Coble and Brittney West; and his two grandsons, Noah Coble and Blaine West; and

WHEREAS, Steve Coble exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout his estimable career, Steve Coble has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of his colleagues and the citizens of Smith County; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we extend to Steve Coble our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.